

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION Washington, DC 20463

March 26, 1999

BY FACSIMILE & CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

David L. Nimmo, Esq. Johnson & Nimmo P.O. Box 1690 Ada, OK 74820

Re: MUR 4867

Tribal Alliance for Sovereignty

Five Civilized Tribes

Political Action Committee

Dear Mr. Nimmo:

On December 11, 1998, each of your clients was notified that the Federal Election Commission determined to enter into negotiations directed toward reaching a conciliation agreement in settlement of this matter prior to a finding of probable cause to believe. On that same date, each of your clients was sent a conciliation agreement offered by the Commission in settlement of this matter. On February 19, 1999, after we received notice that the Tribal Alliance for Sovereignty ("Alliance") had retained you as counsel, you were sent a copy of the materials that were originally sent to the Alliance.

Please note that conciliation negotiations entered into prior to a finding of probable cause to believe are limited to a maximum of 30 days. To date, you have not responded to the proposed agreements. The 30 day period for negotiations has expired. Unless we receive a response from you within five days, this Office will consider these negotiations terminated and will proceed to the next stage of the enforcement process.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (800) 424-9530 or (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Thomas J. Andersen

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